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MEMORANDUM FOR DIRECTOR, MILITARY PAY OPERATIONS, DEFENSE
FINANCE AND ACCOUNTING SERVICE (PM/CL)

SUBJECT: Interim Change to the DoDFMR, Volume 7A, Regarding Hardship Duty Pay for
Democratic Republic of Congo (DFAS Item O-08)

Attached is Interim Change 20-05 to Chapter 17 of the Department of Defense Financial Management Regulation (DoDFMR), Volume 7A. It is effective June 7, 2005. This change incorporates new entitlement to Hardship Duty Pay for members assigned to duty in the Democratic Republic of Congo. The Democratic Republic of Congo (formerly Zaire) is separate and distinct from the Congo.

This is a routine change and the result of directed action that does not affect existing policies. A draft of this change was not provided for comments. Assignment of the interim change number is your authority to initiate a procedural modification to implement this change. Use the attached to initiate the formal change to the DoDFMR, Volume 7A

Lydia Moschlen
Director, Policy and
Requirements Management

Attachment:
As stated

cc: OUSD(C)(ODCFO)(FP)
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| DFAS Item # O-08 | Interim Change 20-05 |
| | to DoDFMR, Volume 7A |

HARDSHIP DUTY PAY FOR DEMOCRATIC REPUBLIC OF CONGO

1. Add the following new location to Chapter 17, Figure 17-1:

| <u>Designated Location</u> | <u>Rates</u> | <u>From</u> | <u>Through</u> |
|-------------------------------|--------------|--------------|----------------|
| Congo, Democratic Republic of | \$100 | June 7, 2005 | |

2. Add the following new citation to bibliography for Figure 17-1:

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| Congo, Democratic Republic of | OUSD(P&R) Memo, June 7, 2005 |
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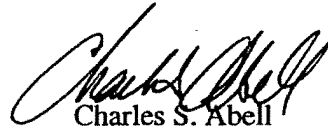
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MEMORANDUM FOR ASSISTANT SECRETARY OF THE ARMY (M&RA)
ASSISTANT SECRETARY OF THE NAVY (M&RA)
ASSISTANT SECRETARY OF THE AIR FORCE (MR)
DIRECTOR, DEFENSE FINANCE AND ACCOUNTING
SERVICE

SUBJECT: Democratic Republic of Congo -- Hardship Duty Location Designation

Effective immediately, this designates Democratic Republic of Congo as a hardship duty location in accordance with section 305 of title 37, United States Code, and establishes a Hardship Duty Pay-Location rate of \$100 per month. The Department of Defense Financial Management Regulation, Volume 7A, Chapter 17, Figure 17-1, will be updated to reflect this change.


Charles S. Abell
Principal Deputy

cc:
Under Secretary of Defense (Comptroller)
Assistant Secretary of Defense (Reserve Affairs)
Director, Joint Staff (J1/PRD)
Commandant (G-WP), U.S. Coast Guard